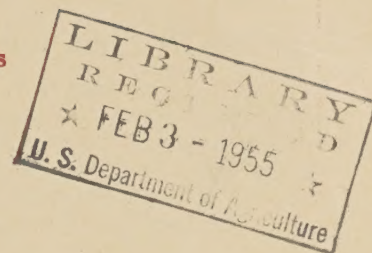


# FALL 1954

# PRICE LIST



1545 North Main • McPHERSON, KANSAS



Landscaping Of Distinction  
With Quality Nursery Stock

## Hardy Shrubs

- ALMOND (Pink Flowering)**—Bears double pink flowers. Blooms early.  
18" to 24".....\$1.35
- ALTHEA**—Fall shrub that blooms late in summer and fall. It has bright pink, white, or purple double hollyhock-like flowers.  
2' to 3'.....\$ .80
- BARBERRY THUNBERGI (Red Leaf)**—Out-standing shrub for beauty of its foliage. Nice to cut green for use with flowers in bouquets.  
12" to 15".....\$1.05  
15" to 18".....1.15  
18" to 24".....1.40
- BARBERRY THUNBERGI (Green Leaf)**—Bright green foliage that turns a beautiful color in autumn.  
12' to 15'.....\$ .75  
18' to 24'.....1.25
- BEAUTY BUSH**—A graceful shrub with beautiful pink flowers after it is well established.  
18" to 24".....\$1.20
- BUTTERFLY BUSH, No. 1**—Also called summer lilac. Bears long spikes of flowers in the summer. Three colors—white, red or dubonnet.  
.....\$ .90
- CHERRY (Hanson Bush)**—Branches covered with white blossoms in spring, followed by dark fruit. Heavy plants.  
12" to 18".....\$ .60  
18" to 24"......75
- COTONEASTER (Acutifolia)**—Pinkish flowers followed by black berries. Holds leaves well into the fall.  
12" to 18".....\$ .75
- CRANBERRY BUSH**—Clusters of white flowers in late spring.  
12" to 18".....\$ .95
- DOGWOOD (Red Barked)**—Coral-red branches. Winter attraction.  
18" to 24".....\$1.15
- DOGWOOD (Golden Twig)**—Golden yellow bark. Especially showy in winter.  
18" to 24".....\$1.15
- FORSYTHIA (Golden Bell)**—First shrub to bloom in the early spring. It has bright yellow flowers.  
18" to 24".....\$ .75
- FORSYTHIA (Spring Glory)**—New variety. Abundant yellow flowers.  
18" to 24".....\$1.10
- HONEYSUCKLE (Fragrant)**—Often called Christmas Honeysuckle, as this lovely shrub often holds its leaves until the holiday season. The white blossoms in early spring give a lemon scented fragrance.  
18" to 24".....\$1.05
- HONEYSUCKLE (Tartarian)**—Hardy bush grows 6 to 10 feet tall. Pink flowers in May, followed by berries.  
18" to 24".....\$ .75  
24" to 36"......95
- HYDRANGEA (A. G. Snowhill)**—Bears heads of pure white flowers in early summer.  
18" to 24".....\$1.25
- HYDRANGEA (Pegee)**—Blooms in late summer, becoming pink and bronze in the fall.  
18" to 24".....\$1.25
- KERRIA JAPONICA**—A handsome and graceful shrub with bright yellow flowers.  
18" to 24".....1.50
- LILACS (Rothomagensis)**—Grows rapidly. It has reddish purple flowers.  
18" to 24".....\$1.00  
2' to 3'.....1.25
- LILACS (Common)**—An old favorite.  
12" to 15".....\$ .75
- MOCK-ORANGE (Virginal)**—Very large semi-double flowers, fragrant. Flowers are in great profusion in the spring and recurrent throughout the summer.  
18" to 24".....\$1.15
- QUINCE (Flowering)**—One of the best flowering shrubs. Flowers in early spring, and the foliage retains a bright glossy green throughout the entire summer. Plant with Spirea Prunifolia for greater color contrast.  
18" to 24" heavy.....\$1.05  
12" in pots.....1.30
- SMOKE BUSH**—Large shrub, covered in summer with mist-like tiny flowers resembling purple smoke.  
12" to 15".....\$ .75  
2' to 3'.....2.00
- SNOWBALL**—Has large globular clusters of white flowers in May or June.  
18" to 24".....\$1.50
- SPIREA (Froebel)**—Flower clusters are large and of deep rose color.  
12" to 18".....\$ .80
- SPIREA (Prunifolia)**—Blooms early in spring, bearing tiny white button-like flowers.  
18" to 24".....\$1.25
- SPIREA (Vanhoutte)**—Most popular of all Spirea.  
18" to 24".....\$ .50  
24" to 30"......65
- SPIREA (Thumbergi)**—Long growing shrub, spreading habit. Has white flowers.  
18" to 24".....\$1.25
- TAMARIX (Africana)**—Extremely hardy shrub with fine green foliage.  
2' to 3' heavy plants.....\$ .75
- TAMARIX (Hispid)**—Silvery foliage. Bright pink flowers.  
2' to 3' heavy plants.....\$1.00
- WEIGELA (Eva Rothke)**—Ruby flowers. It blooms profusely.  
18" to 24".....\$1.25

## SELECT IT AT THE NURSERY



# Evergreens

## Grafted Upright Junipers

The finest characteristics as to color, shape, habit of growth, and hardiness can be obtained from year to year in grafted trees. It is very much to your advantage in landscaping your home, as a lost evergreen can be replaced with one of a matching color. Priced as follows:

**Cannart Junipers**—An extremely rich dark green foliage, heavily tufted, very attractive in its rich color nearly all season with an abundance of powdery blue or purplish berries.

30" to 36"	\$ 9.00
36" to 42"	10.50
42" to 48"	12.00
48" to 60"	14.00

**Glaucia**—Silvery-blue color, brightest in spring, new growth whitish-blue color.

24" to 30"	\$ 8.00
30" to 36"	9.00
36" to 42"	10.50
42" to 48"	12.00
48" to 54"	13.50

**Pathfinders**—Silvery-blue foliage, popular tree in this area.

42" to 48"	\$12.00
48" to 54"	13.50
54" to 60"	15.00
60" to 66"	16.50
66" to 72"	18.00

**P. G. Green Junipers**—Prairie Gardens' own de-

velopment, a soft grass-green color, very compact pyramidal evergreen.

24" to 30"	\$ 8.00
30" to 36"	9.00
36" to 42"	10.50
42" to 48"	12.00
48" to 60"	13.50

**Silver Glows**—An outstanding variety, with an unusual blue-gray color and nicely shaped pyramidal form.

30" to 36"	\$ 9.00
36" to 42"	10.50
42" to 48"	12.00

## Upright Junipers, not grafted

**Juniper Virginiana (Eastern Red Cedar)**—Native tree, much used as an ornamental tree.

	Each	Hundred Rate	Thousand Rate
18" to 24"	\$3.00	\$2.30	\$2.00
24" to 36"	3.50	3.00	2.50
36" to 48"	4.00	3.50	3.00
12" to 18" from pots		each, .70	

**Junipers Scopulorum**—(Silver Cedar)—Habit of growth similar to that of the Red Cedar, texture of foliage finer and the color is a silvery gray-green.

2' to 3'	\$5.75
3' to 4'	6.75
4' to 5'	7.75
5' to 6'	8.75
18" to 24" Globes	7.50
24" to 36" Globes	9.50

## Spreading Junipers

**Andorra**—Grows much lower and flatter than

the Pfitzer.

9" to 12"	\$3.50
12" to 24"	4.50
24" to 36"	5.50

**Pfizers**—Informal spreading evergreen with beautiful plume-like branches; will stand considerable shade, useful in foundation planting.

9" to 12"	\$4.25
12" to 15"	4.75
15" to 18"	5.25
18" to 24"	5.75
2' to 2½'	6.75
2½' to 3'	8.00

**Savins**—Although this is a low spreading evergreen, it grows a little more upright than most of the others. Dark green foliage.

15" to 18"	\$4.75
18" to 24"	5.50
24" to 30"	6.50
30" to 36"	7.50

**Tamariscifolia**—Bright emerald green color, turns to purplish color in fall and winter.

12" to 18"	\$6.00
18" to 24"	7.00
24" to 30"	8.00

**Vonechron**—Fast growing, dark green color.

12" to 18"	\$4.75
18" to 24"	5.25
2' to 3'	6.25
3' to 4'	7.25

## Pines

**Austrian Pine**—Rich dark-green needles 4" to 5" long, grows into beautiful large, long lived tree. Very hardy.

2' to 3'	\$7.50	4' to 4½'	\$12.00
3' to 3½'	9.00	4½' to 5'	13.50
3½' to 4'	10.50	5' to 6'	15.00

**Western Yellow Pine**—A native, long needle pines, good for windbreak or ornamental tree.

12" to 18"	\$5.00	42" to 48"	\$10.00
18" to 24"	6.00	48" to 54"	11.00
24" to 30"	7.00	54" to 60"	11.50
30" to 36"	8.00	60" to 72"	12.00
36" to 42"	9.00		

**Scotch or Short Needle Pine**—Fast growing gray-green foliage, not so dense as that of the Austrian Pine.

24" to 30"	\$7.25	54" to 60"	\$10.00
30" to 36"	8.00	60" to 66"	10.50
36" to 42"	8.50	66" to 72"	11.00
42" to 48"	9.00	72" to 84"	11.50
48" to 54"	9.50		

**Dwarf Pines**—Low growing, can be kept small by trimming off new growth each spring. New growth resembles small candles at tip of each branch.

6" to 9"	\$3.50	12" to 18"	\$6.00
9" to 12"	4.50	18" to 24"	7.50

## Arborvitae

**Compact Green Arborvitae**—Beautiful compact slow growing evergreens.

15" to 18"	\$3.50	24" to 30"	\$4.50
18" to 24"	4.00	30" to 36"	5.00

**Compact Golden Arborvitae**—A beautiful dwarf compact variety of golden color, valuable for urns and especially good for cemetery lots.

9" to 12"	\$2.50	15" to 18"	\$4.00
12" to 15"	3.00	18" to 24"	5.00
3' to 4'	7.50		

your home  
needs a...

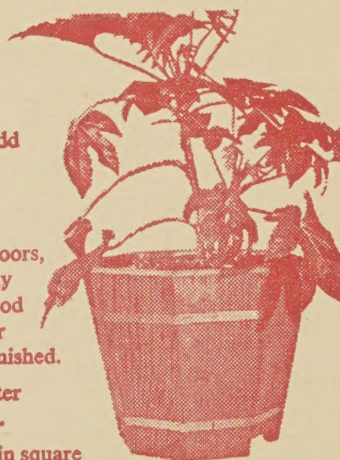
## CALIFORNIA REDWOOD PLANT TUB

Picture your home when you add an evergreen specimen plant in a redwood planter!

The planter is of finest grade California redwood, beautiful indoors, weather resistant outdoors. Carefully hand made, the softly glowing redwood is bound by strong copper bands for strength. The wood is stain finished.

You easily control soil, your planter provides automatic drainage.

We have the redwood planters in square or 8-sided shapes, sizes from 8 to 24 inches in diameter. We'll help you select the proper plants for your planter. Come in now while selection is complete.



Redwood Planters



## Douglas Fir

Makes beautiful living Christmas Trees to be decorated in the lawn and lighted with flood lamps.

18" to 24".....	\$6.00	30" to 36".....	\$9.00
24" to 30".....	7.50	36" to 48".....	10.00

## Broadleaf Evergreens

**Abelia (Grandiflora)**—Bright glassy leaves with small trumpet shaped blossoms, white with pink tinge. Blooms all summer. We consider Abelia semi-hardy in Kansas.

12" to 18".....	\$3.00
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**Jasmond (Floridum)**—Waxy shiny or green leaves, small yellow flowers, very attractive. Semi-hardy in Kansas.

12" to 18".....	\$3.00
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**Euonymus Patens**—Large green leaves. Bright berries resembling bitter sweet. Grows 5 to 6 feet, but can be kept sheared if you desire.

3 to 6 inches from pot.....	\$ .50
12 to 15 inches B & B or pots.....	3.00
15 to 18 inches B & B or pots.....	3.50
18 to 24 inches B & B or pots.....	4.00

**Small Leaf Euonymus**—Makes the nicest of hedge plants and will keep its color and hold its leaves well into the winter, in fact, usually all winter.

3 to 6 inches from pot.....	\$ .50
6 to 12 inches B & B or in pots.....	2.25
12 to 15 inches B & B or in pots.....	2.75

**Mahonia**—Holly-like shiny deep green leaves that turn to maroon-red in the fall and usually remain all winter. Grows to 2 to 3 feet, has yellow blooms in early spring followed by blue berries in the summer.

6 to 12 inches plants B & B.....	\$3.00
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**Mentors Barberry**—Very rugged, strong, upright growing shrub with thick heavy bark, dark green leaves. Grows dense, 4 to 5 feet high, requires little pruning.

18 to 24 inches in pots.....	\$2.25
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**Pyracantha (Coccinea Lalandi)**—Upright shrub, attractive white flowers followed by orange fruit which lasts well into the winter.

3 to 6 inches in pots.....	\$1.25
6 to 12 inches in pots.....	2.00
12 to 18 inches in pots.....	3.00
18 to 24 inches in pots.....	4.00

## GUARANTEE

**PRAIRIE GARDENS** Nursery Stock is guaranteed to leave our nursery in good, live growing condition. If it does not, NOTIFY US AT ONCE and we will replace it or refund the amount paid for it.

**PRAIRIE GARDENS** Nursery Stock is guaranteed to be true to name. If it proves otherwise, we will furnish new stock free, or refund the amount paid for it.

If any **PRAIRIE GARDENS** Nursery Stock after proper planting and care (including adequate watering), failed to grow, we will replace it (F. O. B. Nursery), at one-half catalog price, providing you write us not later than 60 days after purchase, sending a copy of your order accompanied by one-half the catalog price.

All prices are subject to change without notice.

ALL ITEMS PRICED F. O. B. McPHERSON

## Shade Trees

Since early time trees have added to man's comfort and enjoyment, as well as to his economic well being. Plan now to plant this fall.

**BALD CYPRESS**—The only deciduous coniferous growing in this area, a very interesting tree. Native of Louisiana swamps, but also grows well in Kansas as far west as Pratt.

6' to 8'.....	\$15.00
8' to 10'.....	19.50

**COTTONWOOD (Cottonless)**—Extremely hardy native prairie tree that is propagated by cuttings since it is a selected tree that does not produce seed.

5' to 6'.....	\$2.50
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**CRAB (Hopa Flowering)**—A fine ornamental tree covered with bright pink flowers in the spring. Foliage is striking.

4' to 5'.....	\$2.25
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**ELM (American)**—Native of Kansas. Valuable for home yards.

4' to 5'.....	\$1.00
5' to 6'.....	1.50
6' to 8'.....	2.25

**ELM (Chinese)**—Rapid growth shade tree.

3' to 4'.....	\$ .25
4' to 5'.....	.60
5' to 6'.....	1.00
6' to 8'.....	1.50

**ELM (Hybrid)**—One of the faster growing shade trees.

6' to 8'.....	\$3.50
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**ELM (Moline)**—Tall growing, grafted Elm with large beautiful leaves.

5' to 6'.....	\$2.75
6' to 8'.....	\$3.50

**GINKO**—

Slender branches, fan-shaped pale yellow-green leaves, turning a clear, golden yellow in autumn. Native of China where it is reported to have somehow lived through the glacial age, thus earning its name as the fossil tree.

3' to 4'.....	\$12.50
5' to 6'.....	17.50

**GOLDEN RAIN TREE**—One of the beautiful low growing trees. Picturesque branching. Bears panicles of bright yellow flowers. Has very attractive foliage. Sometimes called the Japanese Varnish tree.

2' to 3'.....	\$1.80
3' to 4'.....	2.50

**HACKBERRY**—Very similar in shape, stateliness and growth to the American Elm.

4' to 5'.....	\$1.75
5' to 6'.....	\$2.25
6' to 8'.....	3.00
8' to 10'.....	4.25
10' to 12'.....	6.00

**HONEY LOCUST (Thornless)**—Extremely hardy, rapid growing, and develops into a stately tree with dark green foliage.

3' to 4'.....	\$ .25
4' to 5'.....	.50
5' to 6'.....	.75

**LOCUST (Morine)**—Rapid growing, long lived, drought and heat resistant, will grow anywhere, and no seed to fall or clean up.

The ideal shade tree. "Handsomest substitute of the elm."

5' to 6'.....	\$6.50
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**MAGNOLIA**—Fragrant blooms of light purple base shading to pink at tips inside petals appear before the leaves early in the spring.

2' to 3'.....	\$11.50
3' to 4'.....	16.50

**SOFT MAPLE**—Common, fast growing tree used in this area for many years where quick shade is of great importance. Often times the bright side of the leaves turns back showing the silvery underside just before a rain.

5' to 6'.....	\$1.95
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**SUGAR MAPLE**—Foliage turns bright orange and yellows, sometimes scarlet, in the fall.

8' to 10'.....	\$10.00
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**PIN OAK**—Select them at the nursery.—The fastest growing of all the oaks. It grows in pyramidal form. Rich green foliage is deeply cut and colors into a glorious coppery red in the fall. Holds its leaves well into the winter.

	Bare Roots	Balled and Burlapped
4' to 5'.....	\$4.00	\$6.00
5' to 6'.....	5.00	7.50
6' to 8'.....	6.00	9.00

**FLOWERING PEACH**—Bright scarlet flowers early in the spring.

3' to 4'.....	\$2.25
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**POPLAR (Lombardy)**—Tall, slender growing tree, valuable for screens.

2' to 3'.....	\$ .25
3' to 4'.....	.35

**RED BUD**—A very attractive tree that has beautiful red blossoms in the spring before the leaves appear. Leaves are dark green, heart shaped.

2' to 3'.....	\$ .75
3' to 4'.....	1.00

**RUSSIAN OLIVE**—Attractive, silver gray leaves, grayish white berries. Hardy.

2' to 3'.....	\$ .60
3' to 4'.....	.75

**SYCAMORE (American)**—Large, handsome leaves, smooth, light colored, almost creamy-white variegated bark, gives the tree a striking appearance. Its shape and beauty, as well as its shade and hardness will add much to your comfort and enjoyment.

5' to 6'.....	\$4.00
8' to 10'.....	7.50

**WEeping WILLOW**—Rapid growing, with long pendulous branches.

2' to 3'.....	\$ .75
5' to 6'.....	1.50

Shade trees planted in containers for summer planting will be available from time to time. Ask about them when at the nursery.

## Peonies

Fall is the best time to plant Peonies. We have nice 3 to 5 eye divisions at

75 cents

We have Red Peonies in pots at

90 cents



# How Prairie Gardens' "Flowers by Wire" Service Works for You

When you wish Flowers delivered for you in a distant city, a florist there (usually one of the more than 18000 fellow members of F.T.D.) is phoned or telegraphed of your wishes.

## We Tell the Other Florist:

- (1) To whom the delivery goes
- (2) "In Care of" or "Apartment Number"
- (3) At What Address
- (4) Your Name or What You Want on the Card.
- (5) What You Wish Delivered
- (6) The Price of the Purchase You Make
- (7) The Day You Wish the Delivery Made
- (8) For What Occasion You Wish the Flowers Arranged
- (9) Prairie Gardens' Name as Sending Florist With Our F.T.D. Account Number



After delivering your order the receiving florist acknowledges it through the Florist Telegraph Delivery Association's clearing house, that works much the same as the banks' clearance on checks.



## Prairie Gardens



## Landscape Department

is trained and equipped to do the planning and planting of trees and shrubs for your new home or that new up-to-date look on your re-modeled home.

Real estate men estimate that proper landscaping increases the resale value (or value for your pride and enjoyment) as much as 23%. This places your landscape expenditures in the investment class. This statement is doubly true since each season of good care allows your trees and shrubs to better frame your house and add beauty and value to your home.

## Fall Bulbs

PLANT NOW FOR NEXT SPRING'S  
ENJOYMENT

	\$7.50 per 100
Top size Tulips (larger than #1)	\$1.00 per dz. 10c each
	\$15.00 per 100
Jonquils (King Alfreds)	\$2.00 per dz. 20c each

Prairie Gardens has a very  
large assortment of  
**CANDLES**  
For your Holiday selection.  
These Candles include . . .  
Large Candles  
Small Candles  
and Novelty



Christmas Center Pieces and many Christmas  
Decoration Supplies may be selected for your  
Holiday enjoyment. They also make the most  
appreciated gifts.